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1. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF A MESSAGE FROM CLAUS KOREN, DIRECTOR, NATIS, TO JOHN C. KIMBALL, CARE OF PA IN DEPARTMENT. APPRECIATE MESSAGE BEING PASSED TO MR. KIMBALL. QUOTE:

2. REFERENCE YOUR LETTER 9TH SEPTEMBER, ONLY FEW CHANGES AND DELETIONS REQUIRED FROM POINT OF VIEW OF ACCURACY AND POLITICAL DESIRABILITY. WE WILL SIGNAL THESE SEPARATELY.

3. I AM WORRIED, HOWEVER, THAT NOT ENOUGH MATERIAL IS AVAILABLE TO BEAR OUT OUR STORY OF INTERDEPENDENCE AS DEMONSTRABLE BY THE DIRECT INVOLVEMENT OF EIGHT NATIONS IN THE COLLECTIVE DEFENCE OF THE NORTHERN COMMAND AREA AND THE SIGNIFICANCE OF THIS FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF OPEN SEA LINES OF COMMUNICATIONS ENABLING NATO AS A WHOLE TO MAINTAIN A CREDIBLE CONVENTIONAL DEFENCE POSTURE IN EUROPE AS REINFORCEMENT OF EXPOSED PARTS OF EUROPEAN THEATRE BY MEN AND MATERIAL AVAILABLE IN OTHER PARTS OF THE ALLIANCE WOULD THEN BE POSSIBLE. AS WE SEE IT, THESE POINTS MUST BE WRITTEN INTO THE COMMENTARY LINE AND BORNE OUT BY NEW MATERIAL, AND IF NECESSARY BY ANIMATIONS AND GRAPHICS. FOR THIS REASON, WE SUGGEST THAT COMMENTARY LINE BE WRITTEN AS FULL AS POSSIBLE IN ORDER THAT THE NECESSARY POINTS CAN BE MADE LATER. AT THIS STAGE IT WOULD SEEM

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PREFERABLE TO HAVE TOO MUCH RATHER THAN TOO LITTLE COMMENTARY MATERIAL TO PLAY WITH. SUGGEST PETERSEN WRITE THIS PART OF THE COMMENTARY LINE WITH YOUR HELP, FOR SUBSEQUENT SUBMISSION BY TELEX TO US BEFORE RECORDING. BEST REGARDS. KOREN, NATIS. END QUOTE. BENNETT

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